ഡാക്ടർ ഡി. രാഘവേന്ദ്രറാവു.—രാത്രിയിലും ജോലി നോക്കുന്നുണ്ട്".

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. സി. ചാഞ്ചൻ.—രാഷ്ട്രകൽ ജോലി ചെയ്യുന്ന ഇവർക്ക ഇപ്പോൾ കൊടുത്തുവരുന്ന ശമ്പളത്തിൽ കൂടുതൽ കൊടുക്കാൻ ആലോചനയുണ്ടോ ?

ഡാക്ടർ ഡി. രാഘവേന്ദ്ര റാവു.—തല്ക്കാലം ആലോചനയില്ല.

Officers of Land Revenue Department.

277. Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of officers in the Land Revenue Department drawing a salary of Rs. 50 and above;

(a) the number of caste-Hindu officers among them;

(b) the number of non-caste Hindu officers among them;

(c) the number of Christian officers among them.

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—47.

(a) 44.

(b) 2.

(c) 1.

Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—May I know whether there is any non-caste Hindu Tahsildar ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—No.

Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Any Christian Tahsildar ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—No.

Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Any particular reason for this disparity in numbers ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—There is no particular reason for this.

278. Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of Christian officers in the Land Revenue Department who were drawing a salary of Rs. 100 and above during the administration of Rao Bahadur T. S. Narayana Ayyar;

(b) the number of non-caste Hindu officers drawing the above salary in the same department during the same period;

(c) the number of caste Hindu officers drawing the above salary in the same department during the same period?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(a) One.

(b) Nil.

(c) Eight.

279. Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of Christian officers in the Land Revenue Department who were drawing a salary of Rs. 100 and above during the administration of Mr. P. Narayana Menon;

(b) the number of such non-caste Hindu officers;

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(c) the number of such caste Hindu officers?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(a) One.

(b) Nil.

(c) Eight.

280. Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of Christian officers in the Land Revenue Department who were drawing a salary of Rs. 100 and above during the administration of Sir T. Vijaya Raghavachari;

(b) the number of such none-caste Hindu officers;

(c) the number of suchcaste-Hindu officers.

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(a) Two.

(b) Nil.

(c) Seven.

281. Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Christian officers in the Land Revenue Department who were drawing a salary of Rs. 100 and above during the administration of Sir J. W. Bhore;

(b) the number of such non-caste Hindu officers;

(c) the number of such caste-Hindu officers.

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—(a) One.

(b) Nil.

(c) Seven.

Plague Preventive Measures in Cochin.

282. Mr. A. B. Salem.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the total amount of money spent in Mattancheri and Ernakulam for combating plague, during the last four years;

(2) what are the number of cases of plague that occurred in Mattancheri and Ernakulam respectively during the same period;

(3) what materials have been ordered and from whom and at what prices, for use in the campaign to prevent plague;

(4) what amount have been spent in addition to Government money from Municipal funds of Mattancheri and Ernakulam;

(5) if there were any balances unspent from amounts sanctioned, how were these amounts spent or disposed of;

(6) what were the local works carried out and by what agency were they carried out, and what are the amounts spent for such works in the two towns for preventing plague;

(7) were these works ever used for the purpose for which they were put up, if not why not;

(8) what were the number of rats destroyed in Mattancheri and Ernakulam respectively;

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